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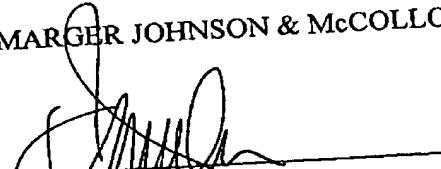
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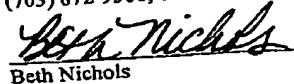
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Responsive to the Office Action dated March 7, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

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